

Twyford C of E School



We must keep our eyes on Jesus, who leads us and makes our faith complete.

Hebrew 12.2



Our value for this week is "Respect"



Dear Parents

We had a wonderful Shakespeare day last Wednesday. A fairy came to visit the Foundation stage and took them on a trip to a magical forest where they met several mystical creatures. The rest of the school studied *Midsummer Nights Dream* looking at the themes and complications of love in a Shakespeare play. The children were totally inspired by the whole experience which gave them a fascinating and informative introduction to England's most famous playwright. Thank you to the PTFA for contributing to the Shakespeare Day.



Congratulations to Jasmine Seago the Overall winner of the Roger Harlock cup. Well done to everyone who grew daffodils over the Winter.

All classes have now organised their school trips for this term. They all look like very exciting and informative trips and all to places we haven't been before, which is always good. Trips are always designed to be educational but through a practical and therefore memorable experience. We do try to keep the costs down but it is usually the price of the coach which causes them to be more than we would like. We believe though that they are invaluable to the learning of every child and therefore an essential part of the curriculum.

Don't forget Bag 2 School collection on Tuesday, a great opportunity to clear those cupboards and drawers. Do remember they don't take bedding though, so please don't include those or the company leave the bags containing them behind.

Don't forget to sponsor Year 5's for their fancy dress fun run next Friday, 22nd May at 3.45pm. They are raising money for playground equipment specifically for their class and have selected what they would like. Please come along to support them, they are also going to be selling refreshments for all their supporters. They just need to raise the money, in order to purchase what they need.

Walk to school week is coming up again, 18th - 22nd May. If we all make a great effort to walk as far as possible to school. Park the car if you need to drive as far away from the school as you can and then walk the remainder of your journey, that would really help.

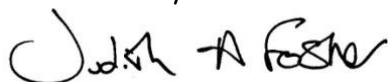
May I once again request that you do not drive into the staff car park. This includes dropping off to breakfast club and after clubs in the evening. These are both times of the day when there is a lot of movement of staff cars and delivery vans which are not expecting to see children in the car park. We have had a couple of near misses which should not be happening. I appreciate your support in this matter.

Please note the date for the Musical Morning which is specifically for those children's parents who learn an instrument either in school or outside of school. All parents are welcome to come along though and hear our pianists, drummers, choir and recorders.

Don't forget we have an inset day straight after half term and return on Tuesday 2nd June.

After the half term holiday we are very fortunate to have a Tennis coach joining us, in conjunction with Marsh Gibbon Tennis Club. Ryan Horbatowski will be coaching KS1 and KS2 on a Thursday afternoon. KS1 will have 3 sessions starting straight after the half term break and then KS2 will have 3 sessions beginning 25th June. The children won't need to bring any equipment as it will all be provided but it would be helpful if they could have a pair of trainers in school on a Thursday as well as their PE kits.

Yours sincerely



Mrs Judith Foster
Headteacher

SAINSBURYS ACTIVE KIDS- ended!



This year's Sainsbury's Active Kids vouchers finished **Tuesday 5th May 2015**. Please check your purses and wallets for any vouchers lurking there!

There is a collecting box in the foyer or please send them in via your child's book bag.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

You may have seen our sports teams wearing their Twyford Hoodies to tournaments and matches. These were kindly purchased by the PTFA for the use of our sports teams and the children really like wearing them.

At the request of parents we are now going to introduce these to our uniform stock so they can be purchased to wear as a tracksuit top during P.E. in the cooler months. The cost will be £13.50 for sizes up to 32" and £15.50 for 34" and up. You are welcome to try on the ones we have in school to check sizing.

If possible could any orders for new uniform for September be made as soon as possible so we can try and get these to you before the end of term.

Order forms are available from the school office or the website www.twyfordschool.org.uk.

NEWSLETTER BY EMAIL

If you would like to receive future issues of the Newsletter by email, please confirm which address we should use.



YEAR 5 FANCY DRESS FUN RUN



Friday 22nd May, 3.45pm

Do come and support our Year 5s as they compete in a sponsored fun run to raise money for playtime equipment. Refreshments will also be on sale.

MUSIC MORNING

In conjunction with Mrs Horwood, our Piano teacher, we will be holding a special Music Morning on Wednesday 10th June 2015 when all our musical performers will be presenting a piece of their work. There will be performances from all of our pianists, our recorder groups and Mrs Grace's drumming club.



Parents of those children performing are welcome to join us from 9.30am. We envisage the performances will end by 11am.

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TWYGS DAFFODIL COMPETITION WINNERS

Reception

Abbie Carter, Codie Gough, Rose Bristow

Year 1

Erin Betts, George Bennett

Year 2

Lily-Jo Marshall, Sophie Thompson, Freya Gibbs

Year 3

Jasmine Seago, Aaron Elcock, Daniel Betts

Year 4

Kathleen Irwin, Emily Bosley, William Green

Year 5

Eloise Thomas-Marchant, Ethan Jellis-Jones, Lucy Elcock



Cake Sale

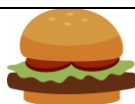
Wednesday 20th May 2015,
3.00-3.30pm

We're having the ultimate
Cake Sale with lots of yummy
cakes to buy to help raise
funds towards the cost of our
school trips.

We'd also love your donations
of cakes and biscuits to sell.



HOT LUNCH



**NO HOT LUNCH ON 17TH JULY AS IT'S
CAMP-OUT DAY - BBQ WILL BE PROVIDED**

The menu for the week beginning 15th June

Monday	Pork Sausages with Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Veg Sausages with Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Jacket Potato - Cheese
Tuesday	Chicken & Tomato Bake with tiger roll Quorn Mince Lasagne with tiger roll Jacket Potato - Cheesy coleslaw
Wednesday	Baked Ham with sliced potatoes Margarita Pizza on wholemeal base with slice potatoes Jacket Potato - Tuna and salmon mayonnaise
Thursday	Beef Bolognese with pasta BBQ Roasted Quorn strips with pasta
Friday	Breaded Fish with Diced Potatoes Cheesy Omelette with Diced Potatoes

The menu for the week beginning 1st June

Monday	Pepperoni Pizza on Wholemeal with Sliced Potatoes Quorn and Potato Bake Jacket Potato - Baked Beans
Tuesday	Chicken Korma with Rice Veggie Meatballs in Tomato Sauce with Rice Jacket Potato - Cheese
Wednesday	Roast Beef with Mash and Gravy Roast Quorn with Mash and Gravy Jacket Potato - Chicken Mayo
Thursday	Chicken & Sweetcorn Pasta Bake with Garlic Bread Vegetable Ravioli with Garlic Bread Ranch Style Vegemince in BBQ Beans
Friday	Fish Fingers with Potato Pom Poms Vegetarian Pastry Roll with Potato Pom Poms Jacket Potato - Cheesy Hoops

The menu for the week beginning 8th June

Monday	Pork Sausages with Sliced Potatoes Popeye Pizza with Sliced Potatoes Jacket Potato - Cheese
Tuesday	Chicken Provençal with Pasta Quorn Mince Bolognese with Pasta Jacket Potato - Cheesy Coleslaw

Wednesday	Roast Turkey with Mash and Gravy Vegetarian Sausages with Mash and Gravy Jacket Potato - Tuna Mayo
Thursday	Beef lasagna with Garlic Bread Macaroni Cheese with Garlic Bread Jacket Potato - Baked Beans
Friday	Fish Cakes with Diced Potatoes Quorn Burger with Diced Potatoes Veggie Meatballs in Tomato Sauce

The deadline for ordering is the **MONDAY** of the previous week. Orders are collected by the Administrator, Mrs Carter, on a Monday so we are unable to deal with any late orders. Menu's and order forms are also available via the school website www.twyfordschool.org.uk.

ALLERGEN ADVICE - If you have any concerns about the ingredients in any of the meals, we have a list of ingredients and possible allergens within the office, please feel free to pop in and see us. If you require a "special dietary allergy meal" we also have request forms in the office. Please note that the meals are all nut free.

If you need to **CANCEL** for any reason ring Chartwells Customer care line before 9am 0121 457 5455, they require 48hrs notice and you will then be issued with a credit note.

RECEPTION CLASS - HOT LUNCH 21ST MAY

All children in the Reception class have the opportunity to try a hot lunch on **Thursday 21st May**. Chartwells are providing a special menu for the day so even if you haven't yet ordered we will have food available for those children in the Reception class. If you would like your child to try a lunch that day please inform the school office or via email office@twyford.bucks.sch.uk.

FOOTSTEPS - ROAD SAFETY TRAINING

We would like to re-start our Footsteps road safety training. It is a scheme designed to teach children an awareness of road safety delivered by volunteers in school.

For the scheme to be successful volunteers are needed to attend a short training session and then to deliver training to the children in school and some sessions outside, within the village. Full support is given so it should be an enjoyable learning experience for both our volunteers and the children.

Obviously the more volunteers willing to take part the less onerous the time commitment will be. Sessions can be arranged to suit our volunteers availability, so if you would be willing to give up just a small amount of time to teach children a very important life skill we'd be delighted to hear from you.

Please contact the school office or drop us an email office@twyford.bucks.sch.uk.

LOST PROPERTY

We have a few items of lost property:

Key Fob with "Happy Mothers Day Love Toby" Sweatshirts and Cardigans

If any of these belong to you please collect them from the school office. If they are not collected by the end of term they will be going into the Bag 2 School collection.

OUTDOOR LEARNING

Outdoor learning dates for the next few weeks are:

20 th May	3 rd June	10 th June	17 th June
Reception	Year 1 & 2	Year 3 & 4	Year 5
Cooking on an open fire	Cooking on an open fire	Cooking on an open fire	Cooking on an open fire



As the children will be outside in all weathers, please make sure they have weather appropriate clothing.

SUNDAY AT 4

We would like to invite you to Sunday at 4.

Sunday 17 May 4pm-5.30pm at Grendon Village Hall.
Sunday at 4 is for children aged 5-11years. We meet for fun, games, Bible stories, craft activities, music, prayer and refreshments.

If possible, to help planning, please let Angela or David know by email or phone if you hope to attend. You are welcome to bring a friend. Hope to see you on Sunday 17 May.

Future dates and venues:

14 June. Preston Bissett, The Old School
12 July, Charndon Community Centre

With best wishes

Revd David Hiscock 01869 277297 david@s3d.co.uk

Revd Angela Mann 01296 771100 angela.mann@o2.co.uk



NEXT MEETING

Next meeting 8.00pm
Tuesday 19th May
At The Crown Pub

BAG 2 SCHOOL

Thinking of having a sort out - now is the time! They take old clothes, shoes, bags and soft toys.

Filled bags can be taken to Portway Farm, Twyford, MK18 4EA (head towards the old farm and it should be signposted) over the weekend, or they can be brought in to school on Monday 18th May for collection.

FILM CLUB



Next Film Club Night
Friday 15th May
Doors open at 6pm

We will be showing

Ice Age 3 - Dawn of the Dinosaurs (u)
Harry Potter and The Chamber of Secrets (PG) for KS2

May Half Term Activities at Bucks County Museum and Roald Dahl Children's Gallery

Marvellous Messy Art Week!	
	Come along and have an amazingly creative time during May half term. Be inspired by art in the Bucks Open Studios Fanfare exhibition at the museum and then enjoy creating your own masterpieces to take home. Aprons will be provided!
	Monday 25 May: Jewellery Making Create your own unique jewellery using buttons, beads and recycled materials
	Tuesday 26 May: Creative Clay Let your imaginations run wild and create a stunning clay sculpture to take home.
	Wednesday 27 May: Marvellous Mosaics Design and make your own decorative mosaics using real tiles and grout!
	Thursday 28 May: Fantastic Felt Have a go at making your own piece of felt art
	Friday 29 May: Crazy Canvas Make your own unique piece of art on canvas using paints, felts and other messy art materials!
All activities are £3 per child - No need to book. Adults not making anything are FREE! Drop in between 10am and 12 noon or 1pm and 3pm. All children must be accompanied by an adult for all activities	

Bucks County Museum & Roald Dahl Children's Gallery
Church Street, Aylesbury, HP20 2QP Tel: 01296 331441
Facebook.com/BucksMuseum @BucksMuseum
www.buckscountymuseum.org



TERM DATES - 2014/15 and 2015/16

	Open on the morning of:	Close at the end of the afternoon on:
Summer Term 2015	Tuesday 14 th April 2015	Friday 22 nd May 2015
	Tuesday 2 nd June 2015	Wednesday 22 nd July 2015
Autumn Term 2015	Thursday 3 rd September 2015	Friday 23 rd October 2015
	Monday 2 nd November 2015	Friday 18 th December 2015
Spring Term 2016 (Provisional)	Tuesday 5 th January 2016	Friday 12 th February 2016
	Monday 22 nd February 2016	Thursday 24 th March 2016
Summer Term 2016 (Provisional)	Tuesday 12 th April 2016	Friday 27 th May 2016
	Monday 6 th June 2016	Thursday 21 st July 2016

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday 15 th May		Film Club Night
Tuesday 19 th May		Bag 2 School Textile collection
Thursday 21 st May		KS1 Visit to Heritage Motor Museum
Friday 22 nd May		Year 5 Fancy Dress Sponsored Fun Run 3.45pm
Friday 22 nd May		Break up for Half Term Holiday
Monday 1 st June		INSET
Tuesday 2 nd June		School re-opens after Half Term
Wednesday 3 rd June	<i>New</i>	Woburn Safari Park Trip - Nursery and Reception
Monday 8 th June		11+ Meeting at Marsh Gibbon School for Parents of Year 5 children
Tuesday 9 th June		PTFA Meeting
Wednesday 10 th June	<i>New</i>	Music Morning 9.30am
Friday 12 th June		PTFA Cream Tea
Tuesday 16 th June		Sports Day and Picnic
Tuesday 23 rd June		Olympic Day with Padbury School
Tuesday 30 th June	<i>New</i>	Sports at Whaddon - Reception
Wednesday 1 st July		Years 3, 4 and 5 Visit to Hatfield House
Wednesday 1 st July		Grandparents Afternoon for Nursery & Reception class
Thursday 2 nd July		Small Schools Sports Festival KS1
Friday 3 rd July		Infant Music Festival at Long Crendon School - KS1
Tuesday 7 th July		County Induction Day
Tuesday 7 th July		Meeting for parents of September 2015 Reception children
Wednesday 8 th July		Year 5 Science Fair at Royal Latin School
Friday 10 th July		PTFA Mad Hatters Tea Party
Tuesday 14 th July		Open Evening
Wednesday 15 th July		KS2 Production - Joseph and the Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat, 2pm
Thursday 16 th July		KS2 Production - Joseph and the Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat, 6.30pm
Friday 17 th July		Camp Out Day (BBQ Lunch)
Monday 20 th July		End of Year Celebration Assembly
Tuesday 21 st July		Whole School Ramble
Wednesday 22 nd July		Break up for Summer Holidays - 1.30pm finish
Thursday 3 rd September		School re-opens after Summer Holidays
Friday 9 th September		Individual School Photographs
Wednesday 16 th December	<i>New</i>	Christmas Lunch

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